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POLYMER COATED GLASS CAPILLARY)
TUBING AND POLYMER COATED GLASS)
CAPILLARY TUBING)
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**Honorable Assistant Commissioner
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to an examination on the merits, please amend the above identified application as follows: